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CARL CASPER CUSTOM CARS AND LOUISVILLE AUTO SHOW BRINGS STARS AND CARS TO THE KENTUCKY EXPOSITION CENTER

LOUISVILLE, KY (February 17, 2014) – The Carl Casper Custom Cars and Louisville Auto Show brings its unique combination of cars and stars, both old and new, back to the Kentucky Exposition Center Friday, Feb. 21 – Sunday, Feb. 23.

In its 51st year, the Carl Casper Custom Car Show highlights vintage and custom cars, including nostalgic race cars, Wildman Jeff Cook's Shotgun Harry monster truck and a rare 1932 Ford Sedan. Low rider cars will compete in the Low Riders Nationals in Freedom Hall Friday 8:00 - 9:30 p.m., Saturday 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m., with finals competition taking place Saturday evening 8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

For those looking to purchase a new car, local dealerships will be on hand to help find the perfect car at the Louisville Auto Show portion of the event. Every major car manufacturer will be represented at the exposition center.

Autograph sessions with celebrities are also available throughout the weekend. Meet-and-greets include the star of Disney XD's Kickin' It Olivia Holt, WWE superstar Big Show and The Walking Dead's Sonequa Martin-Green.

This year more than 100 pinstripers will participate in the Pinstripers Charity Auction. Car pinstripers will paint everyday objects that will be auctioned for charity. Many on the pieces will be created at the show and there are eight different auctions throughout the event. Charities benefiting are St. Jude's, Home of the Innocents, Kosair Children's Hospital and other local charities.

Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$5 for children (6-12) and free for children five and under. Parking at the Kentucky Exposition Center is \$8 per vehicle. Show hours are Friday, 6:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m., Saturday, 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. and Sunday, 12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

For more information, visit http://www.carlcasper.com and http://www.louisvilleautoshow.com.

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About the Kentucky Exposition Center

One of the top 10 largest public facilities of its kind in the United States, the Kentucky Exposition Center features 1.2 million square feet of indoor space including two indoor arenas. The facility's class "A" exhibit space totals 425,700 square feet and accommodates a wide variety of events year round. The expocenter is the permanent home for the Kentucky State Fair, the National Farm Machinery Show, and the North American International Livestock Exposition. Conveniently located adjacent to the Louisville International Airport and near the junction of three major interstates, the Kentucky Exposition Center is easily accessible and just five minutes south of downtown Louisville. Parking at the Kentucky Exposition Center is \$8 per vehicle. For more information, visit www.facebook.com/kyexpocenter and follow us on Twitter at https://twitter.com/kyexpocenter.